GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1111
ANSWERED ON:07.03.2002
COLLABORATION AGREEMENTS SIGNED BY ONGC
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of mutual collaboration agreements signed by Oil and Natural Gas Corporation during the last two years, country-wise, year-wise;

(b) the total profit earned by ONGC out of these collaborations during the said period, year-wise;

(c) whether any of these projects have suffered time and cost overrun; and

(d) if so, the reasons therefor?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas and Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs (Shri Santosh Kumar Gangwar)

(a) & (b) : Details are given in the statement attached.

(c) : No sir

(d) : Does not arise

Statement referred to in reply to parts (a) & (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1111 to be answered on 7.3.2002 regarding collaboration agreements signed by ONGC

(a) & (b) : Particulars of mutual collaboration agreements signed by Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC) during the last two years, are given below :-

Agreement	Objective/scope	Profit earned
1. Extension, till 24.6.2003 of the Joint Operating Agreement (JOA) between ONGC and M/s. Core Laboratories, USA entered into on 24.6.1996 for 3 years.	To provide quality laboratory services to the E&P oil companies operating in India.	1999-2000 - Nil 2000-2001 - US $ 5817.48 + (INR.=Rs. 2.85 lac)
2. Consultancy services agreement between Institute of Reservoir Studies (IRS), ONGC and Beicip-France, an affiliate of IFP, France, concerning Enhanced Oil Recovery (EOR)/Increased Oil Recovery (IOR) pilot studies for Mumbai High was signed on 6.2.2001.	Selection of most viable EOR process, selection of the pilot sites and conceptual design of the pilots.	
After completion of the study, the IFP,	Pilot implementation not commenced,	

France has suggested the process namely, hence nil.
Simultaneous Water and Gas Injection (SWAG).

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